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2. The State Planning Commission coordinates the entire Rumanian economy. Its management, the Secretariate General, is composed of a President, two Under-Secretaries of State, and twelve Rumanian and eight Soviet Counsellors, whose collective opinion is decisive.
2. The technical work of the Planning Commission is carried out by its 32 departments, including one for the Registration of Technicians. The main object of the Department for the Registration of Technicians is to keep records of the qualifications of all technicians, comprising background details concerning engineers and workers who had acquired special technical experience or skills. The department is thus able to direct technicians to positions where they are needed. Enterprises wishing to employ technicians must apply to the Department, and any change of position has to be authorized by it. By February 1951, 47,000 engineers and other technicians were registered with the Department, but it had been estimated that 100,000 were needed to carry out the 1950 plan. The failure to fulfill the plan was attributed partly to the lack of technicians. In accordance with Law 222 of 1949 all technicians had to fill in special forms and to submit them to the Planning Commission. It is known, however, that many fail to do so, especially former Legionnaires.
3. The following are a few of the officers of the State Planning Commission:
 - a. Miron Constantinescu, President of the Planning Commission. He replaced Zeigher Simion, who was reduced in rank and made manager of a factory in Craiova.

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- b. Pana, Under-Secretary of State.
- c. Corbulesi, Under-Secretary of State.
- d. Efrain, Romanian Counsellor
- e. Dimitru Cruceanu, Head of the Registration of Testimonials. He is
48, tall, brown hair, formerly employed in the State Statistical
Institute.

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